



Seasons of Service and Special Events *2008 and 2009*



<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Website for more information</u>
2008-2009	Great American Bake Sale	www.greatamericanbakesale.org
October 2009 (Month)	Domestic Violence Awareness Month	www.ncadv.org/takeaction/DomesticViolenceAwarenessMonth_134.html
October 16, 2008	Lights On After School	www.afterschoolalliance.org/
October 12-18, 2008	Teen Read Week	http://www.ala.org/ala/yalsa/teenreading/teenreading.cfm
October 17-19, 2008	Stand Up Against Poverty	www.standagainstpoverity.org/
October 19-25, 2008	National Character Counts Week	www.charactercounts.org/ccweek/index.php
October 16, 2008	World Food Day	www.fao.org/wfd/2006/index.asp?lang=en
October 12-18, 2008	Give Kids Good Schools Week	www.givekidsgoodschools.org/
October 17, 2008	World Day to Overcome Extreme Poverty	www.tapori.org/
October 19-25, 2008	Kids Care Week	www.kidscare.org/
October 25, 2008	Make a Difference Day	www.makeadifferenceday.com
November 2008 (Month)	National Runaway Prevention Month	www.1800runaway.org/rpm/
November 2008 (Month)	American Indian Heritage Month	
November 16-22, 2008	Geography Awareness Week	www.nationalgeographic.com/geographyaction
November 2008	National Family Literacy Day	www.famlit.org
November 2008	Empieza Contigo (It Starts With You);	www.nclr.org/
November 16-22, 2008	National Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week	www.nationalhomeless.org/getinvolved/projects/awareness/index.html
November 17-21, 2008	International Education Week	http://iew.state.gov/
November 10-16, 2008	World Kindness Week	www.actsofkindness.org
November 13, 2008	World Kindness Day	www.actsofkindness.org
November 13, 2008	National Mix It Up Day	www.tolerance.org/



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November 10-14, 2008	National Young Readers' Day	www.bookitprogram.com/teachers/nyrd.asp
November 15, 2008	America Recycles Day	http://www.nrc-recycle.org/americanrecycles.aspx
November 15, 2008	National Philanthropy Day	www.nationalphilanthropyday.org/index.html
November 20, 2008	World's Largest Thanksgiving Dinner	www.4allstars.org
November 22, 2008	Family Volunteer Day	www.disney.go.com/disneyhand/familyvolunteers/
November 23-29, 2008	National Family Week	www.nationalfamilyweek.org
December 1, 2008	World AIDS Day	www.worldaidsday.org/default.asp
January (Month)	National Mentoring Month	www.mentoring.org/
January 19, 2009	Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service	www.mlkday.gov
January 26-30, 2009	No Name Calling Week	www.nonamecallingweek.org
February (Month)	National Black History Month	www.asalh.org/
February 1, 2009	Souper Bowl of Caring	www.souperbowl.org
February 9-15, 2009	Random Acts of Kindness Week	www.actsofkindness.org/
March (Month)	National Nutrition Month	www.strength.org/
March (Month)	National Women's History Month	www.nwhp.org/
March (Month)	Red Cross Month	www.redcross.org/index.html
March 2009	Newspapers in Education Week	http://nieonline.com/
March 2009	Girl Scout Week	www.girlscouts.org/
March 2009	Cesar Chavez Day of Service and Learning	www.chavezfoundation.org
March 1, 2009	International Children's Day of Broadcasting	www.unicef.org/videoaudio/video_icdb.html
March 2, 2009	Read Across America Day	www.nea.org/readacross/index.html
March 8, 2009	International Women's Day	www.internationalwomensday.com/



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March 16, 2009	Liberty Day	www.libertyday.org
March 22, 2009	World Water Day	http://www.worldwaterday.net/
March 30 – April 5, 2009	Act! Speak! Build! Week	www.habitat.org/ccyp/act_speak_build
April (Month)	Keep America Beautiful Month	www.kab.org/
April 2009	National Day of Hope	www.childhelpusa.org/
April 2009	National Library Week	www.ala.org/
April 19-25, 2009	National Volunteer Week	www.pointsoflight.org
April 7, 2009	World Health Day	www.who.int/world-health-day/2006/en
April 24-26, 2009	National & Global Youth Service Day	www.YSA.org , www.gysd.org
April 22, 2009	Earth Day	www.earthday.net/
May (Month)	National Foster Care Month	www.fostercaremonth.org
May (Month)	National Family Month	www.familymonth.net/
May (Month)	National Historic Preservation Month	www.nationaltrust.org/
May 2009	Be Kind to Animals Week	www.americanhumane.org/site/PageServer
May 2009	Walk the World Day	www.fighthunger.org/
May 2, 2009	Join Hands Day	www.joinhandsday.org/
June 2009	National Neighbor Works Week	www.nw.org/network/home.asp
June 2009	World Environment Day	www.unep.org/wed
July (Month)	Recreation and Parks Month	www.nrpa.org/
July 2009	Special Olympics Day	www.specialolympics.org
August (Month)	Pediatric Cancer Awareness Month	http://mylion.org/
August 2009	Community Build Day	http://www.fsround.org/community/cbd.htm
August 3, 2009	National Kids Day	www.kidsday.net/



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September (Month)	National Youth Court Month	www.youthcourt.net/
September (Month)	Corporate Month of Service	www.handsonnetwork.org/home/
September 2009	Clean Up the World Weekend	www.unep.org/
September 2009	Habitat for Humanity International Building on Faith Week	www.habitat.org/
September 2009	Intercoastal Cleanup	www.oceanconservancy.org/
September 2009	My Good Deed	www.mygooddeed.org/
September 15 - October 15, 2009	National Hispanic Heritage Month	www.somosprimos.com/heritage.htm
September 17, 2009	Constitution Day	www.constitutioncenter.org/
September 21, 2009	National Neighborhood Day	www.neighborhoodday.org/index_flash.asp